HB 876 -- First Aid Training in High Schools

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Currently, public high schools, including charter schools, may provide students instruction in cardiopulmonary resuscitation instruction. This bill requires the schools to provide enrolled students instruction in first aid and allows the instruction in first aid or cardiopulmonary resuscitation to occur in any course, rather than limiting it to a health education course, and allows for an after-school program. The instructor does not have to be a certified trainer of first aid or cardiopulmonary resuscitation if the course is not designed to result in the certification of students.